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PROGRAM FOR RECORD OR REPRODUCTION CONTROL, AND DATA STRUCTURE
CONTAINING CONTROL SIGNAL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are
respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified
application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.